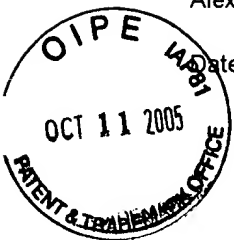


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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application,
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

Note: 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed

(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered.)

☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on

- b. ☒ Enclosed
☒ Amendment/Reply

2. Extension of Time:

☒ Applicant requests a one month extension of time.

3. Fees *The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when RCE is filed.*

☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)
\$395.00 (small entity)

☒ One month extension of time
\$60.00 (small entity)

b. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) of \$395.00 (small entity) and the Extension of Time Fee of \$60.00 for a total of \$455.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in fees or refund any over payment to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

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